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The Honorable Frank Maas
United States Magistrate Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street, Room 740
New York, New York 10007-1312

Re: *Friends of Hamilton Grange et al., v. Kempthorne*,
08 Civ. 5220 (DLC)(FM)

Dear Judge Maas:

We represent plaintiffs in the above-referenced case. As discussed with the Court's Law Clerk, we write, with defendants' consent, to request an adjournment of the settlement conference from September 5, 2008 to the afternoon of September 19, 2008. Ms. Carolyn Kent, a member of plaintiff Friends of Hamilton Grange who attended our prior settlement conference, has an important all day medical procedure that was just scheduled for September 5, 2008. We have conferred with counsel for defendants and the parties are available anytime after 1:30 on Friday, September 19, 2008.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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Respectfully submitted,

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